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EDUCATION:

Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI., B.S. in Microbiology and Public Health
University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI, M.S. in Medical Microbiology
University of Wisconsin, Madison, and WI., Ph.D. in Medical Microbiology; Minors:
Biochemistry and Bacteriology.
Post-doctoral fellow in Clinical Microbiology and Laboratory Medicine, UCLA and
Wadsworth VAMC, Los Angeles, CA.

BOARD CERTIFICATION:

Diplomat, American Board of Medical Microbiology

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

- 1999-pres. Director, Stanford Clinical Microbiology/Virology Laboratory
1997-1999 Director of Operations/Technical Director, Stanford Clinical Microbiology/Virology
Laboratory
1995-1997 Consulting Microbiologist: Good Samaritan Hospital, Los Angeles, CA
1990-1993 Consultant, Clinical Anaerobic Bacteriology Research Laboratory, Wadsworth V.A.
Medical Center, Los Angeles, CA.
1988-1997 Consulting Microbiologist: Northridge Hospital, Glendale Memorial Hospital, and San
Gabriel Valley MC (Catholic Healthcare West facilities); Providence-St. Joseph
Medical Center, Los Angeles area; and St. Jude Hospital and Rehabilitation Center,
Fullerton, CA.
1988-1996 Consulting Director, Microbiology and Immunology, Endocrine Sciences, Calabasas
Hills, CA. Determine test methods and laboratory design, develop new test profiles,
manage licensing and certification in subject area for national reference laboratory.
1988-1990 Director, Clinical Anaerobic Bacteriology Research Laboratory, Wadsworth V.A.
Medical Center, Los Angeles, CA.
1983-1988 Chief of Clinical Microbiology, North Shore University Hospital, Manhasset, NY.
Post-doctoral fellow in Clinical Microbiology and Laboratory Medicine, UCLA and
Wadsworth VA, Los Angeles, CA.
1975-1978 Microbiology Section Leader, St. Mary's Hospital Medical Center, Madison, WI.

1974-1975	Microbiologist I, General Bacteriology Section, Wisconsin State Laboratory, Madison, WI.
1971-1974	Microbiologist, Methodist Hospital, Madison, WI.
1970-1971	Research assistant, Department of Preventive Medicine, University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI.
1969-1970	Bacteriologist II, Onondaga County Laboratory, Syracuse, N.Y.
1968-1969	Research assistant, Veteran's Administration Hospital, Syracuse, N.Y. (Research Division).

FACULTY APPOINTMENTS:

2000-pres.	Associate Professor of Pathology, Stanford Univ. School of Medicine, Stanford, CA.
2000-pres.	Associate Professor of Medicine (Courtesy), Stanford University School of Medicine
1992-1999	Adjunct Associate Professor of Medicine, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA
1994-1998	Adjunct Associate Professor of Molecular Microbiology and Immunology, Univ. Southern California, Los Angeles, CA
1988-1992	Adjunct Assistant Professor of Medicine, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA.
1984-1988	Assistant Professor of Pathology, Cornell University Medical College, New York, NY.
1985-1986	Teaching faculty, Columbia University Medical College, New York, NY.
1984-1988	Instructor, Touro University Medical College, Huntington, NY.
1984-1988	Adjunct faculty, C. W. Post University, Greenvale, NY.
1984-1988	Adjunct faculty, Adelphi University, Garden City, NY.
1982-1983	Teaching assistant, UCLA Medical School, Los Angeles, CA.
1982-1983	Instructor in Medical Technology course, California State University, Northridge, CA.
	Post-doctoral fellow in Clinical Microbiology and Laboratory Medicine, UCLA and Wadsworth VA, Los Angeles, CA.
1978-1981	Teaching assistant: pathogenic microbiology, two parasitology courses, general immunology, physician's assistants' infectious diseases, and microbiology and immunology, University of Wisconsin Medical School and Graduate Schools, Madison.
1979	Instructor, Madison General Hospital School of Medical Technology, Madison, WI.
1978	Instructor, Madison Area Technical College, Madison, WI.
1975-1978	Microbiology coordinator, St. Mary's Hospital Medical Center School of Medical Technology, Madison, WI.

PUBLIC AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICE:

Committee and board memberships:

1. Secretary-treasurer, Long Island Infectious Disease Society, 1985-1987. Long Island, NY.
2. Secretary, New York City Branch, American Society for Microbiology, 1986-1988.
3. Member, Subcommittee to revise the Operational Procedures of the American Academy of Microbiology Committee on Postdoctoral Educational Programs, 1987.
4. Member, American Society of Clinical Pathologists Teleconference Advisory Group, 1987-1989.

5. Chairperson, Part I Examination, American Board of Medical Microbiology Standards and Examination Committee, 1988-1991.
6. Co-chair, 1988 Nominating Committee for Division C officers, American Society for Microbiology.
7. Co-chair, Northern Calif.-Southern Calif. Amer. Soc. Microbiol. Branch Joint Symposium, San Francisco, CA, 1989.
8. Committee member, 1989-1992 Interscience Conference on Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy (Amer. Soc. Microbiol.)
9. Advisory Committee, ASM Committee on Audiovisual Programs and Public Relations, 1989-1993. ASM, Washington, D.C.
10. Co-chair, Northern Calif.-Southern Calif. Amer. Soc. Microbiol. Branch Joint Symposium, Long Beach, CA, 1991.
11. Examinations Coordinator, American Board of Medical Microbiology, 1991-1994.
12. Newsletter co-editor and Board Member, Southern Calif. Branch, Amer. Soc. Microbiol. 1992-1994.
13. Vice-Chairperson, American Board of Medical Microbiology, 1995-1997.
14. Committee member, Placement Committee, Amer. Soc. Microbiol. 1995-1997.
15. Member, California State Department of Health Services Clinical Laboratory Technology Advisory Committee Member, June, 1996 – present.
16. NCCLS Subcommittee chairperson: Abbreviated Identification of Bacteria and Yeast, 1996 -2002.
17. Chairperson, American Board of Medical Microbiology, 1997-2000.
18. Program Committee member, Infectious Diseases Society of America. 1998-2001.
19. Advisor, Area Committee on Microbiology, NCCLS, 2000-present.
20. ASM Division C Leadership Group. 2001-present.
21. Program committee member, Assoc. Public Health Laboratorians Infectious Disease Conference. 2002.

Editorial boards:

1. Editorial board, 1986-1995; 1996-2002. Journal of Clinical Microbiology, ASM, Washington, D.C.
2. Editorial board, 1991-1992. Binary, the Journal of Computing in Microbiology, Academic Press, London.
3. Editorial board, 1988-1994. Cumitech Series. Amer. Academy of Microbiology, Washington, D.C.
4. Section Editor (Anaerobes), Manual of Clinical Microbiology (5th ed., 1991) Amer. Soc. Microbiol., Washington, D.C.
5. Section Editor, Clinical Microbiology Procedures Handbook, 1st ed. Henry D. Isenberg, Editor-in-Chief. Amer. Soc. Microbiol., Washington, D.C. 1992.
6. Senior editor, Wadsworth Laboratory Anaerobic Bacteriology Manual (5th ed., 1993) Star Publishing, Belmont, CA.
7. Editorial board, 1994-1999. Clinical Performance and Quality Health Care, Slack Inc., Thorofare, NJ
8. Volume Editor, Manual of Clinical Microbiology 6th (1995), 7th (1999), and 8th (2003) editions. Amer. Soc. Microbiol., Washington, D.C.

9. Editorial board, 1995-2001. Clinical Infectious Diseases, University of Chicago Press, Chicago, IL.
10. Editorial board, 1996-2001. Diagnostic Microbiology and Infectious Diseases, Elsevier, New York.

Other:

1. Member, American Society for Microbiology (National and local branches), 1975-present.
2. Member, Medical Mycology Society of New York, 1984-1998.
3. Member, Infectious Disease Society of America, 1986-present.
4. Scientist-sponsor, New York Academy of Science, Science Research Training Program, 1987.
5. Participant, American Academy of Microbiology Critical Issues Workshop on the Quality of Microbiology and the Public Health, Airlie, VA, 1988.
6. Association for Women in Science, Los Angeles Chapter, 1993-1997. Founding member and newsletter editor.
7. Advisor, Area Committee on Microbiology, National Committee for Clinical Laboratory Standards, Wayne, PA, 1997-present.
8. Developer, Intimate Strangers: Unseen Life on Earth. 4-hour documentary on Microbiology broadcast on PBS in December, 1999, with sponsorship from American Society for Microbiology, Washington, DC, Annenberg Foundation, and numerous other foundations.

Consulting:

1. Expert consultant, antimicrobial resistance and surveillance. World Health Organization, Geneva, Switzerland, 1996-1999.
2. Invited Consultant, St. Jude Research Hospital for Children, Memphis, TN. December, 1998.
3. U.S. Food and Drug Administration, Special Government Employee, Microbiology Devices Panel of the Medical Devices Advisory Committee. September, 1998-present.
4. Invited ad-hoc reviewer, National Institutes of Health Microbiology Laboratory, Bethesda, MD. February, 2001.
5. Invited ad-hoc reviewer, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Atlanta, GA. June, 2002.
6. Consultant for several pharmaceutical and diagnostic companies during the last 10 years and continuing, including Cubist, Glaxo-SmithKline, Pfizer, Merck, Bristol Meyers-Squibb, Aventis, BioMerieux, Intrabiotics, Kairos, Apollo, and others.

HONORS AND AWARDS:

1. Fellow, American Academy of Microbiology, 1987.
2. American Society for Microbiology Foundation Speaker, 1990-1991.
3. Fellow, Infectious Diseases Society of America, 1992.
4. Who's Who in Science and Engineering, 3rd ed. (Marquis, New Providence, NJ), 1996.
5. May Memorial Lectureship, Southern Assoc. Clinical Microbiology, 1996.
6. Alice C. Evans Award, American Academy of Microbiology, 1997.
7. BioMerieux Vitek Sonnenwirth Award, American Society for Microbiology, 2000.

8. Stanford Division of Infectious Diseases and Geographic Medicine Kenneth L. Vosti, M.D. Teaching Award, 2003.

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RESEARCH PUBLICATIONS (47 PEER-REVIEWED):

1. Baron, Ellen J., Angevine, J. and Sundstrom, W. 1979. Actinomycotic pulmonary abscess in an immunosuppressed patient. *J.Clin. Pathol.* 74:135-137.
2. Baron, Ellen J. and Gates, J. W. 1979. Primary plate identification of group A beta-hemolytic streptococci utilizing a two-disk technique. *J. Clin. Microbiol.* 10:80-84.
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5. Baron, Ellen J. and Proctor, R.A. 1984. Inefficient in vitro killing of virulent or non-virulent *Salmonella typhimurium* by murine polymorphonuclear neutrophils. *Can. J. Microbiol.* 30:1264-1270.
6. Baron, E. J. and Hindler, J. A. 1984. Bioactivity of imipenem as a function of time, medium, and temperature. *Antimicrob. Agents Chemother.* 25:781-782.
7. Baron, E. J., Wexler, H. M. and Finegold, S. M. 1984. Polyacrylamide gel electrophoretic analysis of cellular proteins of vaginosis-associated curved anaerobic rods. In P.-A. Maardh and D. Taylor-Robinson, eds. *Bacterial Vaginosis*. Almqvist & Wiksell Int., Stockholm, Sweden.
8. Roberts, M. C., Baron, E. J., Finegold, S. M. and Kenney, G. E. 1985. Antigenic distinctiveness of *Mobiluncus curtisii* and *Mobiluncus mulieris*. *J. Clin. Microbiol.* 21: 891-893.
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10. Sussman, J., Baron, E. J., Goldberg, S., Pizzarello, R., and Kaplan, M. 1986. Clinical manifestations and therapy of *Lactobacillus* endocarditis. *Rev. Infect. Dis.* 8:771-776.
10. Sussman, J., Baron, E. J., Facklam, R. R. et al. 1986. Viridans streptococcal endocarditis: clinical, microbiological, and echocardiographic correlations. *J. Infect. Dis.* 154:597-603.
11. Bialer, M., Baron, E. J. and Harper, R. 1987. The effect of repackaging and heating on the activity of erythromycin in ophthalmic ointment. *Antimicrob. Agents Chemother.* 31:954-955.
12. D'Amato, R.F., H.D. Isenberg, G.A. McKinley, E.J. Baron, R. Tepper, and M. Shulman. 1988. The novel application of video image processing to biochemical and antimicrobial susceptibility testing. *J. Clin. Microbiol.* 26:1492-1495.
13. Baron, E.J., M. Tyburski, R. Almon, and M. Berman. 1988. Visual and clinical analysis of Bac-T-Screen urine screen results. *J. Clin. Microbiol.* 26:2382-2386.
14. Baron, E.J., C. Schenone, and B. Tanenbaum. 1989. Comparison of three methods for detection of *Cryptosporidium* oocysts in a low-prevalence population. *J. Clin. Microbiol.* 27:223-224.

15. Baron, E.J., Downes, J., Summanen, P., Roberts, M., and Finegold, S.M. 1989. *Bilophila wadsworthia*, gen. nov., sp. nov., a unique gram-negative anaerobic rod recovered from appendicitis specimens and human faeces. *J. Gen. Microbiol.* 135:3405-3411.
16. Bennion, R., Baron, E.J., Thompson, J., Summanen, P., Downes, J., Talan, D.A., and Finegold, S.M. 1990. The bacteriology of gangrenous and perforated appendicitis - revisited. *Ann. Surg.* 211:165-171.
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20. Citron, D.M., Baron, E.J., Finegold, S.M., and Goldstein, E.J.C. 1990. Short PRAS biochemical scheme for identification of clinical isolates of bile resistant *Bacteroides* species. *J. Clin. Microbiol.* 28:2220-23.
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22. Baron, E.J., R.S. Bennion, J.E. Thompson, C. Strong, P. Summanen, M. McTeague, and S.M. Finegold. 1992. A microbiologic comparison between acute and advanced appendicitis. *Clin. Infect. Dis.* 14:227-31.
23. Baron, E.J., Curren, M., Henderson, G., Jousimies-Somer, H., Lee, K., Lechowitz, K., Strong, C.A., Summanen, P., Tuner, K., and Finegold, S.M. 1992. *Bilophila wadsworthia* isolates from clinical specimens. *J. Clin. Microbiol.* 30:1882-84.
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26. Baron, E.J., Ropers, G., Summanen, P., and Courcol, R.J. 1993. Bactericidal activity of selected antimicrobial agents against *Bilophila wadsworthia* and *Bacteroides gracilis*. *Clin. Infect. Dis.* 16:S339-43.
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38. Baron, E.J. 1997. *Bilophila wadsworthia*, a unique anaerobic gram-negative rod. *Anaerobe*. 3:83-86.
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45. Schrijver, I. and E.J. Baron. 2002. Labor and Cost Comparison of Bayer Transcription-Mediated Amplification and Roche PCR Amplicor Version 2.0 Assays for Qualitative Molecular Hepatitis C Virus Testing. *J. Clin. Microbiol.* 40: 3476-77.
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2. Baron, E. J. 1983. A look at one aspect of clinical microbiology laboratory practice at the Univ. of Calif., Los Angeles Hospital. Landmark 10: 1-4. (An English-language journal published in India for general continuing education).
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16. Baron, E.J. 1995. Using customer consideration to drive cost-effective practices in clinical microbiology. *Clin. Microbiol. Newsletter* 17:180-184.
17. Hindler, J.A. and E.J. Baron. 1995. Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of aerobic and facultative bacteria. ASCP Check Sample MB 95-8; 38:117-142. Amer. Soc. for Clin. Pathol. Chicago, IL.
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8. Murray, P.R., Baron, E.J., Pfaller, M., Tenover, F., and Yolken, R. 1995. Manual of Clinical Microbiology, 6th ed. ASM Press, Washington, DC.
9. de la Maza, L., Pezzlo, M., and Baron, E.J. 1997. Color Atlas of Diagnostic Microbiology. Mosby, St. Louis, MO.
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